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[The following beautiful poem was handed us by a lady friend for publication, together with one from WHITTIER, which we are compelled to lay over until next week. The request to speak well for the lady's literary taste.]

TO MY WIFE.

The following exquisite ballad was written by Joseph Brennan, an Irish exile, who died in New Orleans several years ago, of consumption, at the age of twenty-eight. Mr. Brennan wrote several songs that attracted considerable attention, but this is his best. It is exceedingly beautiful.

Come to me, dearest, I'm lonely without thee;
In sunshine and night-time I'm thinking about thee:
In daytime and day-time in dreams I behold thee—
Encircle the waking that ceases to fold thee.

Come to me, darling, my sorrows to lighten;
Come in thy beauty, to bless and to brighten;
Come in thy womanhood, meekly and lowly;
Come in thy loveliness, queenly and holy

The willows will fit round the desolate ruin,
The coming of Spring and its joyous renewing;
And thoughts of thy love, and thy manifold treasure,
Are circulating my heart with a promise of pleasure.

O, Spring of my spirit! oh, May of my bosom!
Shine out on my soul till it bourgeon and blossom;
The past of my life has a rose-root within it,
And thy fondness alone to the sunshine can win it.

Pleasures, that move like a song through the even,
Pleasures lit up by a reflex of heaven—
Even like the skies of poor Erin, our mother,
Where shadow and sunshine are chasing each other:—

Hours coming seldom but child-like and simple,
Dancing their eyes from the heat of a dimple;
Thanks to the Savior! that even thy seeming
Pain to the exile to brighten his dreaming.

Would have been glad when you knew I was saddened;
Love, are you sad now to hear I am saddened?
Hearts ever answer in true and in time,
Love,
Measure to octave, and rhyme unto rhymes,
Love:

Cold, weep, but your tears will be flowing—
I cannot smile but my cheek will be glowing—
Could not die while you'd live, my beloved love,
I will not linger when I shall have died
Love.

Come to me, dear, ere I die of my sorrow,
Smile on my gloom like the sun of to-morrow—
Strong, swift, and fond as the words which I
Speak love,
Like a song on your lips and a smile on your cheek, love.

Sad, for my heart in your absence is weary;
Come, for my spirit sickened and dreary—
Come to the heart which is throbbing to press thee,
Come to the arms that would fondly caress thee.

Special Income Tax.

The following is a list of those who pay an Income Tax of $25,00 or less:

[illegible] N	$7,60	Laughlin Benj	18,90
[illegible]n John	12,50	Line Wm H	13,75
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[illegible]n David	2,80	Murry Jno	16,30
[illegible]n Benj	22,80	Muller W	9,40
[illegible]n W P	12,50	Marshall Jno	5,50
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[illegible]n Francis	20,00	Mitchell Jos	7,60
[illegible]n A W	10,00	Mitchell Samuel	4,45
[illegible]n Chas	6,85	Moore Thos	18,45
[illegible]n George	5,85	Moore T L	12,10
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[illegible]n B	23,95	McCall Jas sr	14,60
[illegible]n Jas	16,50	Morris Thos	16,80
[illegible]n Jno	23,30	Moon R A	15,00
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[illegible]n Robt	15,55	Miller A R	14,50
[illegible]n Walter	2,80	Nevin Jno	11,45
[illegible]n H	21,60	Nelson Samuel	5,00
[illegible]n Jno	18,15	Nelson Jas	8,90
[illegible]n M	9,70	Orison Jacob	10,00
[illegible]n James	5,65	Peters Jas	8,95
[illegible]n E	10,00	Potts Thos,	20,00
[illegible]n Jos	16,35	Peppard S	28,90
[illegible]n C	2,90	Potter J K	2,50
[illegible]as Samuel	1,30	Phillis H	2,60
[illegible]ss Hugh	23,30	Parke Samuel	8,95
[illegible]n J H	3,65	Pendleton Gilbert	7,95
[illegible]n Jno	12,10	Power S A	20,00
[illegible]n J	11,40	Parr J W	15,50
[illegible]n P	11,40	Porter Robt	12,50
[illegible]n Jno	11,40	Patterson Wm	6,85
[illegible]n R	23,60	Patterson Rev S	15,70
[illegible]r R B	21,00	Ransom Jas	1,15
[illegible]n-shan	21,00	Robinson Thos F	8,65
[illegible]r Jacob	17,80	Reno Eli	11,15
[illegible]n Dan'l	19,40	Ritchie J C	7,65
[illegible]khouser Jno	10,45	Scott Rev Geo	16,50
[illegible]bell Alex	5,05	Stokes Thos	13,90
[illegible]ch S B	11,00	Scott Jas	8,40
[illegible]y W C	24,50	Slentz W M	1,85
[illegible]r Geo	10,00	Seachrist Henry	14,25
[illegible]r Wm	22,00	Somers Milo	5,25
[illegible]n David	11,75	Speyerer G C	24,45
[illegible]ugh Robt jr	18,35	Sargent Jno	12,70
[illegible] Jacob	1,90	Sharer Jacob	14,15
[illegible]kins C A	2,10	Stauffer Henry	6,50
[illegible]n Nathan	25,00	Scott Jno	8,35
[illegible] Rebecca	9,45	Swearinger J&W	25,00
[illegible]ison Robt	13,65	Smith James	10,10
[illegible]t A C	13,65	Scott Robt	8,45
[illegible]er Jno G	10,80	Swaney Jno sr	7,50
[illegible]erson A	16,75	Swearinger D	16,25
[illegible]erson Jno	10,85	Stephenson S	17,10
[illegible]y James	8,85	Stroup David	19,80
[illegible] Henry	8,80	Stephenson A	14,80
[illegible] Wm	10,00	Thornsburg E	12,15
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[illegible]lton Geo W	2,88	Thompson Thos	7,50
[illegible]e Jno	17,25	Thomas David	8,20
	3,35	Tracy J A	8,70
		Weyand Michael	3,35
		Watterson A	10,45
		Wilson Jno	6,50
		Wilson Geo	7,80
		Wallace R D	14,80
		Winans Isaac	10,75
		Williams F W	10,70
		Wallace Wm	9,05
		Wilson Jno H	13,80
		Wilson M B	10,00
		Wilcoxon R	15,40
		Young Jas	15,95

The Ability of the Nation to Sustain the War Debt.

The following is an extract from a speech delivered in the House of Representatives in April last by Hon. Jas. G. Blaine, of Maine. Let the croakers read it:

At the organization of our Government in 1789 the entire population, free and slave, was under four millions, scattered along the seaboard from the St. Croix to the St. Mary's, not fifty thousand in all living one hundred miles distant from the flow of the Atlantic tide. Facilities for intercommunication were greatly restricted; manufactures and the arts were in feeble infancy; agriculture was rude, and not highly remunerative, because commerce, its handmaid, was languishing and waiting to be quickened to enterprise and vigor. The entire valuation of the thirteen States, according to the weight of authority, did not exceed six hundred million dollars, three hundred millions less than the valuation of Massachusetts to-day, and not one-half so great as that of Pennsylvania. Property at that time was ill adapted to bear taxation, profits were small, and to the political economist, measuring the condition and capacity of the country, it seemed utterly unable to carry a debt of any considerable magnitude. And yet our ancestors did not hesitate to assume the burden of ninety million dollars, more than one-seventh of all the property they owned. Mr. Jefferson, who was the most distrustful of all the statesmen of that day in regard to the ability of the nation to sustain the load, was yet willing to say that it could be easily borne if our annual increase of population could maintain an average of *five per cent.*—then the most sanguine estimate which any one dared to place on the future growth of the country. Had we realized only the ratio of increase assumed by Mr. Jefferson, our population in 1860 would have been some fifteen instead of thirty-one millions, and our wealth $2,700,000,000 instead of $16,000,000,000. Upon Mr. Jefferson's assumed basis of increase, the debt would never have been oppressive, but upon the rate of growth actually realized, the country paid the interest on the debt, and accumulated a fund for its redemption with such ease that people never felt they were taxed. And yet I hope to show that our debt at the close of this war will be relatively lighter than the debt which our Revolutionary fathers thus assumed, and proceeded so early and so easily to discharge.

Look also at the case of Great Britain. At the close of her gigantic struggle with Napoleon, in 1815, the national debt of that kingdom amounted to £861,000,000 sterling, or *forty-three hundred million of dollars*, and for readier comparison I shall speak of her debt in dollars rather than in pounds. Her entire population at that time was less than twenty millions, and the valuation of all her property was about nine thousand five hundred millions dollars. She owed, indeed, nearly half of all that she possessed. Her population was less than two-thirds of what ours is to-day. Her entire property was not three-fifths of what ours was by the census of 1860, while her debt was *eighteen hundred millions of dollars* greater than ours will be in July, 1865. And in contracting this debt she was compelled to sell her bonds at the most enormous sacrifice. From 1792 to 1815 her debt was increased $3,000,000,000, and yet in exchange for this amount of bonds she received in money but $1,730,000,000, thus submitting to a discount of $1,270,000,000. In other words, England, during the twenty-three years of continental war, only realized on an average for the whole period $100 in money in exchange for $173 of her bonds. This, be it remembered, was the average for the whole time. As the contest waxed desperate her sacrifices became desperate in proportion, and the money which enabled her to fight the decisive campaign of Waterloo was obtained by selling her bonds to the European bankers at less than fifty cents on the dollar. Compared with this our sacrifices on our national securities thus far have been light, not averaging from the inception of the war to the present day, with all elements of expenditure fairly estimated, more than from twenty to twenty-five per cent, reckoned on the gold basis.

To meet their enormous debt, the British people had nothing but the commercial and industrial resources of the United Kingdom, whose whole area is not double that of the single State of Missouri. They had a population of but twenty millions, as already stated, subject to no increase from immigration, and growing in half a century no more than we have added during the last decade. And yet on this restricted area the enterprise and energy of the British people have increased their property until it is valued at *thirty-three thousand millions of dollars*; and in defiance of the large expenditure resulting from several costly wars since 1815, they have actually reduced their debt some three hundred millions of dollars. Their steady progress in wealth under their large debt is comprehended in the statement that the average property per capita in 1815 was less than five hundred dollars, and in 1861 about eleven hundred dollars. In 1815 some twenty-five per cent. of all the earnings and income of the people was absorbed in taxation, and in 1861 less than ten per cent was taken for the same object. In 1815 the proportion of taxes per head for the whole people exceeded seventeen dollars, and in 1861 it had fallen below ten dollars.

These brief details of British experience show how a great debt without being absolutely reduced to any considerable extent, becomes relatively lighter by the increased capacity to bear it. The wealth per capita of the entire population in a period of forty-six years has more than doubled; the aggregate property of the realm has more than trebled; and all this on a fixed area of one hundred and twenty thousand square miles and with a population increasing at the slow rate of only one per cent. per annum. If such results can be wrought out by a kindred people against such obstacles and hindrances, what may we not hope to accomplish under the auspicious circumstances that surround our own nation?

In the light of the national experiences we have been glancing at, we may clearly read our own great future. It is not, indeed, a matter of surmise or speculative query, but of well-founded and confident calculation—a calculation which, however sanguine it be made, will have its only error in falling short of results actually to be realized. The war closing in July, 1865, will leave us in this condition: a nation numbering some thirty three million people owning over sixteen thousand millions of property, and carrying a debt of *twenty-five hundred millions of dollars*. The proportion between debt and property will be just about the same as it was when the Union was formed, while the ratio of our advance and the largely enhanced productiveness of agricultural, manufacturing, and commercial pursuits gives the present generation an ease and wealth that renders it far less burdensome at the very outset. And if the Revolutionary debt became in a short period so light as to be unfelt, why may we not, with a vastly accelerated ratio of progress, assume a similar precipitancy in the extinction of the debt we are now contracting? Were our future advance in wealth and population to be no more rapid than Great Britain's has been since 1815, we should at the close of the present century have a population of forty-five million souls and a property amounting to *fifty thousand millions of dollars*. Even upon this ratio of progress our entire debt would cease to be felt as a burden. But upon the increase of population and development of wealth to be so surely anticipated, the debt would be so small in comparison with the total resources of the nation as to become absolutely inconsiderable. Let us look at the figures

According to the estimates made in the report of the eighth census, and made with great care upon very complete data, our population in the year 1900 will be one hundred millions. The property of the country during the last decade increased one hundred and twenty-six per cent., our aggregate wealth in 1850 being a trifle over *seven thousand millions of dollars*, and in 1860 exceeding *sixteen thousand millions*. Some of the States exhibited an almost fabulous progress—Iowa, the highest in ratio, gaining nine hundred and forty-two per cent, or nearly one hundred per cent. per annum, and California, not far behind her, making a gain of eight hundred and thirty-eight per cent; the average of all the States being, as I have already stated, one hundred and twenty-six per cent. The aggregate addition of wealth for the ten years was thus absolutely larger than all that had been accumulated in the country from the settlement of Jamestown and Plymouth down to the year 1850. We can hardly hope to maintain this enormous ratio for each successive decade, but it is assuming very much less than the average of the past would justify, to say that our property will increase in double the ratio of our population. From 1790 to 1860 our population increased in all about seven hundred per cent, while our property increased some twenty-six hundred per cent., thus showing an increase of property nearly four-fold greater than in population. A population of one hundred millions in A. D. 1900, implies an increase of two hundred and ten per cent on the census of 1860. Doubling the ratio for increase in property gives us a gain of four hundred and twenty per cent, which would give a total valuation at the time specified of *eighty-five thousand millions of dollars*, of which vast amount our estimated national debt will constitute only the trifling proportion of three per cent. The embarrassment to the country under such circumstances would prove as light as would a debt of $3,000 to an individual who had an otherwise unincumbered estate of $100,000, the estate all the while receiving a steady increase of ten per cent. per annum.

All that I have said has been based on the supposition of the debt remaining at a fixed sum, the country simply paying the interest. As a matter of fact, however, it is perfectly obvious that in the progress and prosperity of the future one of our first cares will be to provide for the gradual but absolute redemption of the principal. That this will be consummated without oppressively adding to the actual burden of taxes may be inferred with certainty from a slight examination of our capacity to make increased payments proportioned to our increased amount of consolidated wealth. The time of redemption will depend wholly on the will of the tax-payers; but it is quite evident that the condition of the country may justify its being done as rapidly as Mr. Hamilton proposed to redeem the debt which he funded in 1790. The period assigned by him was thirty-five years, and so well based were his calculations that the entire debt, augmented largely and unexpectedly as it was by the war of 1812, was paid in forty-four years from the date of funding, and in 1834 the United States found itself owning but *thirty-seven thousand dollars*.

Are We Preparing for the Work Before Us?

We know little of military movements save the few incidental marches and changes of the armies during the winter. Of the work of organization and preparation for the opening of the spring campaign, the dispatches that come over the wires and the letters of correspondents, private and public, reveal nothing. Hasty [illegible] slowly increases in [illegible] nears the perfect organ[illegible] which it is expected to [illegible] in the spring. Cheerful [illegible] the progress of recruiting [illegible] call of the President, res[illegible] parts of the country, but [illegible] labor that speaks with [illegible] in the day of battle—the [illegible] that prepares and provides the [illegible] of war—we know little or [illegible]. The administration acts wisely in keeping such data veiled from scrutiny beneath the ponderous red-tape documents of the War Department; and the knowledge that is gained from all inquirers [illegible] of its preparations [illegible] the only information that is withheld from the Richmond conspirators.

[illegible] campaign will [illegible] [illegible] It was [illegible] [illegible] years of war had [illegible] [illegible] people, and the opening [illegible] year, although [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] proved successful beyond precedent. Grant and Sherman and Farragut—its great actors—have handed it down to the generations of the future as a model of military conception and execution. A score of victories and the proud lines of conquest from Washington to the walls of Richmond, from Chattanooga to Savannah, from New Orleans to Mobile, are the trophies and results of the campaign. And yet in the grand object of the eastern movement it was partially a failure. Grant has surrounded Richmond with a cordon of fire from which it cannot escape. He cleared Eastern Virginia of rebels. He removed the guerrillas of the James and the Rappahannock; isolated Petersburg; destroyed the Weldon railroad; defeated Lee in a dozen battles, routed him in twice a score of contests; drove the enemy through and from the Shenandoah; but with all these the capture of Richmond is an event of the future, not of the past. He would have captured the city, but the calculations of the War Department failed. If intrepidity, devotion and fortitude in the army of Virginia could have carried the earthen wall of Richmond, the Union flag would have crowned its capitol buildings. The War Department, in its estimates of the loss of battle and exposure, the heavy detachment required for garrison duty along the lines of the armies, and the increased columns necessary to occupy the extended circumference of our armies, underestimated the strength of the armies in the spring, and the summer found our forces in the field strong in hope, steady in courage, ready for their work, but weakened and inefficient in numbers. One hundred thousand more men, in early June, would have added a weight to Grant that would have made his army irresistable and broken the power of rebellion, in destroying its right arm—Richmond.

The campaign that awaits us must open in about three months. We have these months for preparation. After then comes action. Foreign intervention, domestic insanity, the lukewarmness of the Democratic party, will forever postpone and prevent the success of the North of the coming summer does not end in the overthrow of rebellion and the return of the South to its former allegiance under the Constitution. There must be no miscalculation in the next campaign. Defeat and delay are alike ruinous, and neither must attend us. There is promise and cheer all along the southern sky; the light breaks from States that have lain in darkness during the past four years of war, and the War will end in triumph before the grain that sleeps beneath the snows of winter ripens into full and teeming harvests in the summer's sun, if the administration carry it on with vigor and firmness. Whatever materials of war are requisite to complete the destruction of the treason of the South will be freely and lavishly furnished by the people, but there must be no failure in providing the means and materials of success. If a million of men are wanted, a million will be furnished; and as the War Departments appreciates this fact, let it carfully prepare for the work that the approaching spring will bring. Every day lessens the number of those that intervene between preparation and conflict. Upon their labor depends the success of the coming campaign. "Improve the time, for the days are evil."—*Phil. News, 13th, ult.*

English Workingmen to Mr. Lincoln.

The following address from the workingmen of England to Mr. Lincoln, congratulating him upon his re-election, appears in the *London Daily News* of December 23. It has been forwarded to Washington through Mr. Adams:

"To Abraham Lincoln, President of the United States:

SIR: We congratulate the American people upon your re-election by a large majority. If resistance to the slave power was the reserve watch-word of your first election, the triumphant war-cry of your re-election is "death to slavery." From the commencement of the Titantic American strife, the workingmen of Europe felt instinctively that the star-spangled banner carried the destiny of their class. The contest for the territories which opened the dire conflict, was it not to decide whether the virgin soil of immense tracts should be wedded to the labor of the emigrant, or prostituted by the tramp of the slave-driver? When an oligarchy of three hundred thousand slave-holders dare to inscribe for the first time in the annals of the world, slavery on the banner of armed revolt; when on the very spots where hardly a century ago the idea of one great democratic republic had first sprung up, whence the first declaration of the rights of man was issued, and the first impulse given to the European revolution of the eighteenth century; whom on the very spots counter revolution, with systematic thoroughness, gloried in rescinding the ideas entertained at the time of the formation of the old Constitution, and maintained slavery to be a beneficent institution, indeed the only adequate basis for a republic of labor, and [illegible] property in man [illegible] of the new edifice [illegible] the working classes of Europe understood at once, even before the [illegible] the struggle in behalf of the upper classes [illegible] en its dismal warning, that the slave-holders' rebellion was to sound the tocsin for a general holy crusade of property against labor, and that for the men of labor, with their hopes for the future, even their past conquests were at stake in that tremendous conflict on the other side of the Atlantic. Everywhere they bore, therefore, patiently the hardships imposed upon them by the cotton crisis, opposed enthusiastically the pro-slavery intervention, importunities of their betters, and most parts of Europe contributed their quota of blood to the good cause. While the workingmen, the true political power of the North, allowed slavery to defile their own republic, while before the negro, mastered and sold without his concurrence, they boasted it the highest prerogative of the white skinned laborer to sell himself and choose his own master, they were enabled to attend the true freedom of labor, or to support their European brethren in their struggle for emancipation; but this barrier to progress has been swept off by the red sea of civil war. The workingmen of Europe feel sure that as the American war of Independence initiated a new era of ascendancy for the middle class, so the American anti-slavery war will do for the working classes. They consider it an earnest of the epoch to come, that it fell to the lot of Abraham Lincoln, the single minded son of the working class, to lead his country through the matchless struggle for the rescue of an enchained race and the reconstruction of a social world.

WOMEN IN PARAGUAY.—The author of "Sketches in Paraguay" gives us this fragrant morsel:—Everbody smokes in Paraguay, and every female above thirteen years of age chews. I am wrong. They do not chew, but put tobacco in their mouths, keep it there constantly, except when eating, and instead of chowing, roll it about with their tongue and suck it. Only imagine yourself about to salute the rich red lips of a magnificent little Hebe, arrayed in satin and flashing with diamonds; she puts you back with one delicate hand, while with the fair taper fingers of the other she draws forth from her mouth a brownish black roll of tobacco, quite two inches long looking like a monstrous grub, and deposits the savory morsel on the rim of your sombero, puts up her face, and is ready for a salute. I have sometimes seen an over-delicate foreigner turn with a shudder of loathing under such circumstances, and get the epithet of *ot el savaco* (the savage) applied to him by the offended beauty for this sensitive squeamishness. However, one soon gets used to this in Paraguay, where you are, perforce of custom, obliged to kiss every lady you are introduced to, and one-half you meet are really tempting enough to render you reckless of consequences, and you would sip the dew of the proffered lips in the face of a tobacco battery, even the double distilled "honey dew" of old Virginia.

Sydney Smith on Temperance.

Man was made to be happy, and if intoxicating liquors be necessary to happiness, if man cannot really enjoy himself without them, why, then, let him drink and be happy; but we contend he can. Sydney Smith was one of the most jovial men of the day. He has been called the "laughing philosopher."

No man who has lived within the last half century could set the table in a roar with his wit, and jokes, and puns, better than Sydney. He, too, could eat and drink, as he himself expressed it, with a "six parson power," but in the prime of his days he became a teetotaller. Lady Holland sympathising with him, he thus writes to her: "Many thanks, my dear, many thanks for your kind anxiety respecting my health. I not only was never better, but never half so well in my life, indeed, I find I have been ill all my life without knowing it. Let me state some of the good arising from abstaining from all fermented liquors. First, sweet sleep; having never known what sweet sleep was, I now sleep like a baby or a plough-boy. If I wake, no needless terrors, no black visions of life, but pleasing hopes and pleasant recollections. If I dream, it is not of lions and tigers, but of Easter dues and tithes. Secondly, I can take longer walks and undergo greater exercise without fatigue. My understanding is improved. I see better without wine and spectacles than when I used both. Only one evil ensues from it. I am in such extravagant spirits that I must lose blood or look out for some one who will bore or depress me. Pray, leave off fermented liquors; the stomach is quite at rest; no heartburn, no pain, no distention."

Useful Sermon

How many times we preach and retire discouraged, feeling that we have spent our strength for naught. How many times our utterances seem simple and powerless to ourselves, but afterward we find they have been the power of God unto the salvation of a poor sinner!

Many years since the Rev. Edmund Calamy preached in London. As he was truly eloquent he drew large crowds. A young man in deep despondency, on a [illegible] day, [illegible] him. It so happened, that on Sabbath, when the young man took his seat in church, the pulpit was supplied by a plain country minister, who took for his text, Matthew viii: 26—"Why are ye fearful, O ye of little faith?" Although there was nothing remarkable in the matter or manner of the speaker, the weight was lifted from the hearer's heart by the influence, and "he went on his way rejoicing." Who the preacher was, the young man never knew, but he himself was John Owen; and the long life of usefulness, both in Church and State, which followed, was attributable to God's blessing on that single discourse.

☞ Rev. Richard Henry Lee, L.L. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Washington, Pa., died on Tuesday morning 10th instant, in the 75th year of his age. Dr. Lee was for many years one of the Professors of Washington College. He was a gentleman of high culture and rare literary attainments.

Bishop Brownell, of Connecticut, Senior Episcopal Bishop in the United States, has been very ill for some time.

☞ It is a curious fact, says an exchange, that Congregationalists are at this day disputing as to the fundamental and peculiar principles of their denomination. The absolute independence of individual churches is strongly affirmed and denied. Quite a spirited discussion is going on in the papers of this body of christians on the disputed question.

☞ The capacity of some of the principal churches of Europe is estimated as follows: St. Peter's at Rome, holds 54,000 persons; the Cathedral at Milan, 37,000; St. Paul's, London, 25,000; St. Sophia's, Constantinople, 23,000; Notre Dame, Paris, 21,000; the Cathedral, at Pisa, 13,000; St. Mark's, Venice, 7,000.

☞ Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, New York, Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, pastor, has again been "auctioned off" for another year, (its pews) for the sum of $45,000. The congregation awarded the pastor his part of the sale, the nice sum of $10,000. Pretty good pay considering that a good deal of time of each year is occupied in making money by other means.

☞ Rev. Dr. Parsons, of Louisville, Kentucky, the converted actor, after filling many important appointments in the gift of the M. E. Church, South, has withdrawn from that Church with a view of uniting with the M. E Church.

☞ An effort is making to change the name of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church by substituting "The American" for Cumberland.

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Washington's Farm Management.

The very interesting review of the life and doings of the "Father of his Country," in Appleton's New American Cyclopaedia, from the pen of Edward Everett, gives the following account of the minute supervision which Washington constantly maintained over the management of his plantation:

The estate of Mount Vernon, as it was in the latter years of his life, consisted of about 8000 acres. One-half of this was in wood or uncultivated lawns, but about 4000 acres were in tillage, and managed directly by Washington himself. The cultivated lands lay in five farms, each with its appropriate set of laborers, directed by an overseer, the whole, during his long absences from home, under a general superintendent. During his absence each of the overseers was required to make a weekly report to the superintendent, containing a minute account of every thing done on the farm in the course of the week, including the condition of the stock and the number of days' work performed by each laborer. These reports were recorded in a book by the superintendent, who then sent the originals in a weekly letter to General Washington. A weekly letter was returned, usually a letter of four pages, sometimes of twice that length carefully prepared from a rough draft, then neatly transcribed by the writer; after which a press copy was taken. The rotation of crops in his numerous fields was arranged by himself for years beforehand. The culture of tobacco was given up in the latter part of his life as exhausting to the soil and unfavorable to the health of the laborers.—Not content with general results, nor relying exclusively on the discretion of his superintendents, he gave instructions from the seat of Government, while President of the United States, as to the smallest details in the management of his farms. Even when he was on the march to suppress the insurrection in Western Pennsylvania 1794, his correspondence with his superintendent was continued. A short letter was written by him from Reading [illegible] another from [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE BEAVER ARGUS,

February 1st, 1865.

SUBSCRIPTION TERMS.

It is not possible to continue the publication of THE ARGUS under the old arrangement of sending the paper to subscribers who may not pay within five or ten years. Printing paper costs three or four times as much as it did in 1860, and besides we must have the money to get it even at that price. Printers' expenses are very much greater, which must be equalized by an increase of their wages. To meet these demands, and so continue the publication of THE ARGUS, its subscriptions must be paid invariably in advance. Club rates have also been established by which we expect to furnish THE ARGUS somewhat cheaper to its subscribers, and their number to be largely increased.

The subscription price after the 1st of January, 1865, will be **$2,00** in advance.

Peace Rumors.

For the last few weeks the country has been flooded with peace rumors and the newspapers teeming with sensation peace dispatches. We have refrained heretofore saying anything on this subject, hoping to learn something definate About all that is yet known is the fact that the elder Blair visited Richmond, followed by Gen. Singleton; that Blair returned to Washington, and after a short conversation with the President and other high officials, again left for Richmond. The nature of his visit, whether public or private—it public, what terms or proposals he is authorized to offer, is yet shrouded in mystery. That there is signs of backing down on the part of the Confederate authorities, is undeniable; but that there is a prospect now of compromise or conciliation, is at least extremely doubtful. An editorial in the Richmond *Enquirer* a short time since, urging, in case they failed to establish their independence, a union with the North as preferable to one with England or France encouraged us. It evinced a better spirit and better judgment than anything we have yet seen, while it admitted the possibility of failure which their organs heretofore never did. The withdrawal of Smith from the rebel Congress, because they failed to pass the proposed peace measure, was a favorable omen. In addition, we might refer to the growing distrust and bitter denunciation of President Davis, the rupture between him and the Governors of Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and Mississippi; and the rapid increase and boldness of the peace party as hopeful signs. We confess to skepticism in this matter however. That negotiations now will result in a cessation of hostilities and a restoration of the Union, we very much doubt. The Government does well, though, to make the attempt. If unsuccessful it strengthens our cause and weakens theirs. We have a firm and abiding faith in our ability to conquer a peace. Sherman and Terry are better Peace Commissioners than Blair and Singleton. Their negotiations are eminently wise, patriotic and successful. Gen. Grant is the great diplomatist of the North, and if not interfered with will settle all vexed questions satisfactorily. A few more such victories as Fort Fisher, Savannah, and Nashville, will terminate the conference by their yielding all points of difference. We pin our faith to Grant and his commissioners, let others do as they may.

Crawford County Bank.

Quite a panic among the holders of the notes of the Crawford County Bank was occasioned last week by the reported robbery of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars of Government Bonds belonging to the Bank. Later dispatches, however, relieved the anxious, most of the stolen bonds having been recovered. We are unable at present to say what effect the robbery would have had—many claiming the bank would have been compelled to suspend, others that it is abundantly able to sustain even greater losses without suspending. Little is known of the true financial condition of this bank, and we hardly know how to advise our readers. As there is some doubt of its reliability, it would perhaps be better to receive only the notes of these banks known to be good, especially when there are so many. We hope the time may soon come when only Government money, or the notes of the National banks, will be received or circulated. We can then rely upon paper money as we can upon gold or silver, and not be alarmed every day lest our money should be found worthless.

Senator Wilson, of Massachusetts, has been re-elected for the United States Senate for the term of six years, commencing on the 4th of March next. Those of our readers who attended the Convention at Beaver last fall, recollect him as the first speaker, whose ability and power delighted the audience. He is an energetic, able and faithful representative, of comprehensive mind and views, and pure patriotism. We rejoice that the country is to have his services for six years longer

The Pope's Bull

One of the most remarkable documents of the present century is the Pope's last Bull, directed to the Patriarchs, Primates, Archbishops and Bishops of the Catholic church throughout the world. Remarkable because it embraces all the dogmas, ignorance, bigotry and superstition of the dark ages. We had thought Pope Pius was imbued to some extent with the spirit of reform, and was rather an improvement on his predecessors on the Papal Throne. In this we find we were greatly mistaken He condemns in his Bull, liberty of speech, and of conscience, and matters of religion, and argues that it should be restored by penalties inflicted by the civil power; and further, that all violaters of the Roman Catholic religion should be punished by the civil government with severe penalties. He affirms his superiority over and his right to govern all Sovereigns and Kings, to crown and remove them at pleasure. It remains to be seen how the Catholics in this country will receive the Holy Father's Bull. Catholicism is not progressive however, and no reformation can ever be expected. A religion based upon idolatry, and superstition, and falsehood, requires eradication. Reformation won't reach it, because there is no foundation upon which to rebuild. The Pope in his Bull has proclaimed the weakness and decay of the church and the spirit he evinces will only hasten its ruin. The Bull of the Pope's formerly struck terror into the hearts of Emperors, Kings, rulers and people; but now they only provoke laughter and pity, being even more ludicrous now than the one discharged by a former sage against the comet. Romanism belongs to the half civilized and half christianized age, and cannot long endure the light of present truth and attainments. Its death will emancipate millions from moral, social and political bondage. We long for the coming of that day.

Dallas, Dayton and Everett.

Within the last few weeks Dallas, Dayton and Everett, three of our great and good men, have fallen. Dallas, an honored son of our own noble Commonwealth, once Vice President of the United States, and later our Minister to the Court of Saint James, died in Philadelphia, in the the fulness of his years, leaving behind him the record of a life well spent and worthy the emulation of the aspiring young men of future generations.

Dayton, an eminent lawyer of New Jersey, noted for the honesty and purity of his life and conduct, after holding various offices of honor and trust fell at his post as Ambassador to the Court of Frrnce, lamented alike by both Governments.

Edward Everett, the Minister, the Scholar, the Statesman, the Orator, and the Diplomatist, renowned for his eloquence, his wisdom, and his beneficence, died, as we have already announced, in Boston on the 22d ultimo. Few men of this country have so deservedly occupied so high a place in the estimation and affections of the people. It was not his eloquence, his scholarly attainments, his statesmanship, that distinguished him so much and endeared him so much to the American people, as it was his unbounded charities, devotion to any good work, and undoubted patriotism. The country will long remember how he labored to secure funds to purchase the Mount Vernon Estate, how assiduously he devoted himself to the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers, and how he stood forth as the leader and champion of every benevolent enterprise Among the last acts of his life was his efforts to raise funds for the relief of the suffering citizens of Savannah, A great and good man has fallen, over whose grave we do well to weep.

Though these three great men are dead, yet their noble words and nobler lives live, and will ever live, to speak their praise. America has produced no brighter examples of the greatness of her free institutions.

A CHANGE.—When the Army entered Savannah they found the large tables used for auction blocks, and which slaves sold at public auction, were placed to be viewed by bidders. These tables were all burned, and so long as Savannah is controlled by Union forces, the buying and selling of human beings will be prohibited. We devoutly thank God for this. The wails of anguish caused by the separation of families, husband and wife, parent and child, will be heard no more there, we trust, forever. Wherever the soldiers of the Union go, they strike off the shackles of the slave, relieve his wants, and alleviate his sorrows. Because of this thing God has, and will continue to, bless us as a nation. Through his blessing, we trust, we may soon be enabled to "proclaim liberty throughout all the land to all the inhabitants thereof." Then sorrow and sighing shall flee away, and songs of joy and gladnes fill every heart.

Harrisburg Correspondence.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25, 1865.

MR. EDITOR: The Legislature has been busily occupied since its organization with local legislation. Few bills of a general interest have as yet been introduced. It was thought that the amendment to the constitution would cut off a large fraction of the work of the session; but so far the present Legislature promises to be fully as prolific of laws as the last, the number of bills read in place exceeding by one half the number on the files at this date last session. The calendar is swollen, however, mainly by local bounty bills and bills for the increase of pay of county and township officers. The policy of the House seems to be to give each district such legislation as it asks and its circumstances demand upon the subject of bounties, and no local bill has as yet been defeated. The necessity of an increase in the fees of public officers to correspond with the advanced price of the necessaries of life is generally recognized throughout the State, and a general revision and advance of the fee bills will probably be made.

The only bills introduced as yet from your county, have been an act to authorize the school directors of the borough of Glasgow to borrow money to erect a school-house, and an act to increase the fees of the county and township officers, jurors and witnesses. The former has passed both branches, and received the approval of the Governor; the latter is in the hands of the Judiciary Committee, and will probably be swallowed by the general bill.

A bill introduced some two weeks ago, to incorporate the River Oil Company, has been a subject of considerable comment and animadversion. It proposed to vest the title of the Commonwealth to the beds of the Allegheny and its tributaries in the oil regions in a close corporation. The bed of the river is presumed to be as productive of oil as its bank, and as the property caused by the law embraces thousands of acres, this charter would be of immense value to the favored few. It was said that ten millions of dollars could be raised in New York for the purchase of its franchises. The bill, however, is dead — It could not pass, in its present form, either House, and could not receive the signature of the Governor if it did. A law will probably be enacted to bring the river beds into market as other public lands, protecting navigation against obstruction and reserving a handsome mineral royalty to the State

You will be interested to know that a joint resolution passed the House, by a large majority, requesting our Representatives, and instructing our Senators in Congress, to vote for the repeal of the duty on paper. It is alleged, and pretty satisfactorily demonstrated, that the present price of that article is largely the result of a combination amongst the manufacturers, and not justified by the price of labor or the raw materials. The duty is at present so high as to amount to a prohibition upon importation, and the paper manufacturers have contrived to advance prices to the very last cent caused by the tariff. The newspaper men of the House were earnestly for the resolutions; but the Senate, for reasons best known to themselves, refused to concur.

You have seen the proceedings of the Senate and House in reference to the death of our representative elect, Hon. Robert R. Reed. The ceremonies in the House were particularly solemn and impressive. The eulogies of his associates in the last House—Messrs. Kelly, Negley, Alleman, Wells, and Pershing—were full of eloquence and feeling, and were listened to with the deepest silence and attention. That of Mr Kelly, in particular, was a finished piece of oratory. Washington county has reason to be proud of her gifted representative, and I trust will not permit him to withdraw from public life with the expiration of his present term, as seems to be his desire.

There is a determination in both Houses to go through with the business of the session and adjourn at the earliest day practicable. The Senate is holding two sessions daily, and the House has passed a resolution to extend its sittings an additional hour after the first of February. A resolution has passed the House to adjourn on the 24th of March, and will probably receive the concurrence of the other branch.

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Special Election Returns.

The following is the official majority of the Special Election held on the 24th ult. Mr. Welsh is undoubtedly elected.

	WELSH, U.	BRADY, D.
Big Beaver,	27	8
Bridgewater,	34	27
Borough tp.,	96	19
Brighton,	34	7
Chippewa	54	7
Darlington,	48	9
Economy,	40	10
Fallston,	35	15
Franklin,	12	00
Greene,	100	32
Freedom Boro,	35	20
Freedom dist,	4	22
Frankfort,	62	22
M'Guire's dist,	43	19
Harmony,	15	00
Hopewell,	36	00
Independence,	15	00
Industry,	45	60
Marion,	7	22
Moon,	45	00
New Brighton,	175	63
New Sewickly,	18	17
North Sewickly,	15	41
Ohio,	80	8
Patterson,	22	6
Phillisburg,	5	35
Pulaski,	19	25
Raccoon,	53	14
Rochester Boro,	73	34
Rochester dist,	15	11
South Beaver,	65	30
	1527	578

From Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 27.

The Senate was not in session today. The House was engaged in the discussion of a bill requesting Congress to require sub-districts to furnish their quotas from their own residents, but adjourned without coming to a vote.

Governor Curtin has notified the Legislature that clothing and provisions for our prisoners, now in the South, will be forwarded free of charge, if sent to Harrisburg.

Mr. McClure offered a resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee to inquiry into the expediency of establishing a new mode of drawing jurors to prevent political control.

A Bill authorizing the Governor to appoint draft officers for the State Guard, fixing the term of service at one year, and giving the company the right to elect officers was passed.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 26.

Governor Curtin has to-day received authority from the War Department to raise fifty companies of volunteer infantry, under the call of the President, of the 19th of December last, for 300,000 men, said companies to be assigned to regiments now in the service, wherever vacancies exist, or consolidated into complete regiments, as may hereafter be deemed best. Special authorities will be granted to raise companies preference being given to persons who have been in the service, and have been honorably discharged, or who may be detached from reduced regiments in the field, or mustered out of service in consequence of consolidations. Commanding officers of squads of companies recruiting in the western division of the State will report to the commanding officer at Camp Curtin, Harrisburg, and in the eastern to the commanding officer at Camp Cadwalader, Philadelphia. Transportation will be furnished to the camp of rendezvous upon application of the commanding officer, or the mustering Lieutenant of a company, to any agent of the different railroad companies. The term of service will be for either one, two or three years, as recruits may elect. These troops must be mustered into service by the 7th of February next, to be credited on the quota of the State prior to the draft. Further details will appear in the general order just issued.

The Rebel Fleet Disastrously Repulsed at City Point.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.

The *Star* says: Dispatches received here state that, yesterday morning, at 2 o'clock, a rebel fleet of five vessels, the Richmond squadron so long being prepared, came down the river to destroy our depots, but were disappointed. The water caused by the freshet enabled them to pass the obstructions which our commanders had placed above City Point for the better protection of the place. A battle quickly ensued between the rebel fleet and our nearest battery or fort, in which one of the rebel vessels was blown up and instantly and entirely destroyed, while two others were so badly damaged by shot and shell as to compel them to make speedy flight back in the direction of Richmond, accompanied by the other two, which escaped damage to speak of. Admiral Farragut left here yesterday evening for the scene of this action, and it is understood that he will at once assume naval command there.

Brooks and Butler

The vindication of Gen. Butler against the slander by Brooks immediately, and Pierrepont remotely, that he was a gold robber, was assumed by his representative in Congress, Mr. Boutwell, performed in a masterly and conclusive manner. The House surrendered nearly the whole of its session to this act of justice. The interest given to the subject by the distinction and popularity of the slandered soldier, filled the bar of the House with Senators, and a great throng of strangers. All the galleries were packed The attention of members of both sides was complete. Mr. Boutwell passed from the consideration of Brooks's absurd complaint that Gen. Buttler had challenged him, leaving the terrified calumniator more ridiculous than ever. To the examination of the charges first contrived into specific shape in the political argument on a motion in the Smith suit, he linked into his brief, clear statement, official copies of reports, orders and letters, in historical succession from the time of the seizure of the gold of the Smiths, who were unquestionably Rebels, down to the commencement of the suit—a recorded history of the whole case, which proved conclusively that Gen. Buttler took the money lawfully, used it properly in the military service of the Government, accounted to it for the War Department, has ever been ready to pay it over to the Smiths if the Government would authorize him to do so, has endeavored to obtain from the Secretary of War an assurance that if he paid it into the Treasurey he should be indemnified against a suit for damages by the Smiths, has been flatly refused such an indemnification, and has failed to obtain from the War Department a sanction of his paying the money to the claimants who have sued him. The case made by Mr. Boutwell on this documentary evidence was overwhelming to Brooks. It was triumphantly successful in vindicating Gen. Butler's reputation with every member of the House, of both parties and through the densely crowded galeries. The conspiracy against Butler is to-night the poorest investment of this country

General George B. McClellan, lady and child, sailed for Europe Wednesday in the steamship China. Mr. August Belmont, the well known banker, and Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, accompanies the distinguished party, the intention being an extended tour throughout Europe principally for the benefit of Mrs. McClellan's health.

Sherman Supposed to be Moving on Charleston.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.

The *World's* Port Royal correspondent mentions the begining of a new campaign, which will be brief but grand, and says:—The reputed and ultimate object of their attention will probably create for them more prestige and glory than the capture of one hundred ordinary cities. Every available soldier in Sherman's army has left Savannah, Beaufort and Port Royal. Their destination is still a mystery to the enemy, who continue to guess that no matter where they may be now treading they will eventually be seen in the vicinity of Charleston.

General Sherman has not given a hint of his programme, and his troops have evinced no curiosity in the matter.

Deserters from Hardee's army reports that the enemy depend almost solely on the resistance beyond the city to save it from capture, and if our troops should march to the rear, their presence would be equivalent to its possession.

Cotton to be Burned.

HEAD'QRS DISTRICT OF AUGUSTA, GA., January 9th, 1865.

To Hon. R. H. May, Mayor of Augusta: Lieutenant General Hardee directs me to have all the cotton burned in the city, on the approach of the Yankees. This order I am bound to execute even at the peril of the city. It is to be hoped that your patriot citizens will remove this temptation to to Yankee invasion either to distant points, or the commons, where the match can be applied when the exigency shall occur. The military will render you all the assistance in its power for the removal.

With great respect,
D. H. HILL, Maj. Gen.

The Militia Law.

An act was passed last winter entitled "an act for the organization, discipline and regulation of the militia of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania." The act says: "Any person claiming that he is not liable to military duty, on account of some physical defect, or bodily infirmity, or that he is exempt from the performance of military duty, by any law of this State, or of the United States, may, on or before the day specified in such notice, and not after, deliver to said assessors an affidavit stating such facts on which he claims to be exempt, or not liable to do military duty; such affidavit may be made before any person authorized to administer oaths; and the assessors shall cause all such affidavits to be filed in the office of the County Commissioners, and if any person shall swear falsely, in such affidavit, he shall be guilty of perjury."

Sherman's Opinion of Trading in Captured Cities.

A gentleman from New York writes to the *World* an account of an interview with General Sherman, and gives the views of the latter. Concerning the trade with cities, General Sherman said he believed that whenever we can trade with captured cities we feed the rebels out of our own resources, so they gain more by losses than we do by our victories. He would exclude trade from every captured city, and convert them into military posts. They will make money at the expense of our country's interests and honor of our flag. He referred to Memphis, and said the results of opening trade there were to give Forrest all the supplies he wanted, and ten thousand to twenty thousand men besides. The opening of captured coast cities to trade by the Federal government is efficiently supplying the rebels with all the goods they used to receive by blockade runners at a cheaper price and less risk and inconvenience.

RUMORED REMOVAL OF GEN. MEADE.—A dispatch from Washington states that General Meade has been removed from the command of the army of the Potomac, and that the two armies of the James and of the Potomac have been consolidated, and Phil. Sheridan has been selected to command them. Gen. Meade, it has been said, has been assigned to another command. Another dispatch from Washington says: 'The rumors of General Meade being relieved from the command of the Army of the Potomac are denied by him. He is said to have in his pocket a copy of a letter from General Grant, endorsing him as one of the ablest commanders it. this war, and in all respects a thorough soldier. He says that the Senate may reject his nomination if it sees fit; that he and his children can stand on this letter forever."

The Peace Question.

WASHINGTON, Jan 28.

The result of Mr. Blairs mission to Richmond is this. That Jefferson Davis is willing to send to Washington, or receive from there Commissioners to treat for peace upon the basis of separation.

The President of the United States, on the other hand, is willing to give a hearing to any person of influence who may come from the States in rebellion, with, or without Davis' authority, to treat of peace on the basis of submission to the Union. Of the above facts there is no doubt

☞ The health of Major Gen. John E. Wool, United States Army, is said to be fast failing. This veteran officer is now far advanced in years, and keeps well to his official residence in Troy, spending most of his time in retirement in the preparation of his momoirs and other writings, the completion of which anterior to his dissolution gives him the greatest possible anxiety

MARRIED.

On the 25th of January, in the Presbyterian Church at Alliance, Ohio, by Rev. D. M. Miller, Capt. WM. MCCALLISTER, of Beaver, Penna., to Miss E. GREY HULL, of the former place.

We congratulate the Captain on the successful termination of the campaign. He has been captured at last, but we are glad to know it was not by the enemy. May his future life be as pleasant and happy as his former one has been useful.

DIED:

On Monday, the 22d ult., MARY E., daughter of G. W. and Jane Shroads, aged 8 years, 2 months and 10 days

We would not, Oh, we could not,
Awake her from the rest,
For Christ himself has folded
Our darling in his breast.

Then asking but for patience,
To run our weary race,
We yield without a murmer
Our child to his embrace.

(Star copy.)

On the 27th of October, from wounds received in battle, at Westport, Mo. on the 23d day of October, 1864, JAMES B. ROSS, Co. E, 2nd Colorado Cavalry, son of Jacob and Mary S. Ross, of Industry, Pa.; aged 24 years, 4 months and 1 day.

Time Table.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH, R. R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

Beaver Station—GOING EAST.

Commencing, Monday, Dec. 18, 1864.—Trains leave Beaver Station as follows:

8:35 A. M.	Arrives at Pittsburgh,	10:00 A. M.
2:25 P. M.	" "	3:45 P. M.

GOING WEST—

Trains leave Pittsburgh as follows:

6:20 A. M.	Arrives at Beaver,	7:45 A. M.
3:50 P. M.	" "	5:20 P. M.
2:45 P. M.	Rochester	3:55 P. M.
2:10 A. M.	"	3:20 A. M.

J. N. MCCULLOUGH, *Pres't.*
F. E. MYERS, *Gen'l Ticket Agent.*

PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R

Rochester Station—GOING EAST.

	Leaves Rochester	Arr. at Pitts.
1st Brigh'n Accom.	5:52 A. M.	7:30 A. M.
2d Brigh'n "	6:52 A. M.	8:30 A. M.
3d Brigh'n "	12:15 P. M.	2:40 P. M.
4th Brigh'n "	3:05 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
Mail,	4:20 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
1st Express,	1:00 A. M.	2:20 A. M.
2d Express,	2:10 P. M.	3:20 P. M.
Cincin'ti Exp.	7:25 P. M.	8:30 P. M.

GOING WEST—

	Leaves Pitts.	Arr. at Rochester.
1st Brigh'n Accom.	9:00 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
2d Brigh'n "	12:00 M.	1:32 P. M.
3d " "	4:30 P. M.	6:02 P. M.
4th " "	5:30 P. M.	6:55 P. M.
Mail,	6:40 A. M.	8:05 A. M.
1st Express,	2:10 A. M.	3:20 A. M.
2d Express,	2:00 P. M.	2:15 P. M.

WM. P. SHINN, Supt., E. D.

N. CASTLE & BEAVER VALLEY R.R.

New route opened from Pittsburg to New Castle, Youngstown, Sharon, Mercer, Franklin and Oil city.

Trains leave Pittsburg 5:50 A. M. arrive at New Castle 8:55 A. M.

Trains leave Allegheny 3:50 P. M. arrive at New Castle 6:50 P. M.

Trains leave New Castle 7:00 A. M. arrive at Allegheny 10:00 A. M.

Trains leave New Castle 4:40 P. M. arrive at Pittsburg 7:50 P. M.

Stages connect at New Castle for Mercer.

Shippers would do well to give this route their attention. Prompt attention will be given to forwarding freight.

WM. D. DICKSON, Passenger Ag't.
J. W. BLANCHARD, Gen. Sup't

Land Agency.

THE undersigned having established an AGENCY FOR THE SALE OF REAL ESTATE, in the CITY OF BOONVILLE, COOPER COUNTY, MO., would call the attention of his friends in Western Pennsylvania to the unprecedented low price for which land, of the first quality, can be bought at the present time. Persons desirous of buying cheap farms will receive due attention by calling at my office in Booneville, where they will find all descriptions of farms on the register, with price, location, &c. Office: Morgan, st.

jan25'65 JOHN MITCHELL.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

BY virtue of an order of Orphans' Court, of the County of Beaver, the undersigned will expose to sale by Public Vendue or out-cry, on the premises, on

Monday, February 27th, 1865,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described property, being the estate of Henrietta Murrels and Louisa Murrels, minor children of Frank Murrels, dec'd., situate in the borough of Bridgewater, Beaver county:

1st. The undivided one-fifth of all that certain lot of ground, bounded north by lot of Henry Ankeny, east by an alley, south by public street, and west by lot of Mrs. Boies; on which are erected a two story frame dwelling house, 36 by 16 feet, a stable and other out-buildings.

2d. Also, the undivided one-fifth of a certain other enclosed lot in Stone's plan or addition to the borough of Bridgewater, bounded north by an alley, east by Mulberry st, south by lot of John Miller's heirs, and west by street or alley.

3d. Also, the undivided one-tenth of all that certain other let in the borough aforesaid, bounded north by Locust street, east by lot of Mrs. Rowan, south by lot of —— Stewart, and west by Market street, on which is erected a frame stable.

The above described lots being of the usual size of lots in said borough, and the above-mentioned undivided interests therein being also subject to the dower of Elizabeth Murrels, widow of Frank Murrels, sr., dec'd.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money on the confirmation of the sale by the court, balance in two equal, annual payments from that date, with interest thereon from same time.

JOHN MURRELS,
feb1'65 Guardian of said minors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters of administration on the estate of THOS. HORNE, late of Big Beaver township, Beaver county, Penna., deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement without delay.

JOHN REEVES, Adm'r.,
feb1'65 New Brighton.

NOTICE

I HEREBY notify the public that my wife MARY JAMES, has left my bed and board without any just provocation; I therefore forbid all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will not pay any of her contracts.

JOSEPH JAMES.
South Beaver tp, Jan. 19, 1865.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS testamentary on the estate of MARGARET ELLIOTT, late of Ohio township, Beaver County, Penna., dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN SLENTZ, Ex'r.,
dec21'64. Ohio tp.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of GEORGE MERZ, late of the borough of Sewickly tp., Beaver co., Pa., dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

HENRY GEOHEING,
GEORGE GARDNER, Ex'rs
jan11'65 New Sewickly tp.

HENRY HICE. JAS. S. RUTAN

Hice & Rutan

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

WILL attend to legal business of all kinds. Prompt attention given to collections generally. Licensed Agents for collection of Pensions, Bounty, arrears of Pay, Prize money, Pay, etc., of Prisoners of War and all kinds of military claims against Government. Office—

Corner of Market Street and the Diamond (immediately in the rear of Court House)

BEAVER, PENN'A.

Farm for Sale.

A GOOD FARM is offered at private sale, situated in Big Beaver township, Beaver county, on the road leading from Darlington to Homewood station, on the P. W. & C. R.R., about 24 miles from Darlington, 2 miles from New Galilee, on said R. and 2 miles from Homewood; containing 135 acres, more or less, on which is a good dwelling house, barn and other out-buildings. A never failing spring of water convenient the dwelling house. Farm well watered in good state or cultivation. For terms apply to D. L. IMBRIE, Beaver, or

Oct. 12, '64. R. S. IMBRIE, on premises.

Pension, Bounty & Back Pay Agency.

ARTHURS & RIDDELL,
No. 135 FOURTH ST.,
PITTSBURG, PA.

SPECIAL attention given to the collection of the BOUNTY OF $100, due to WOUNDED SOLDIERS who have served two years, which is now being paid.

☞ All communications addressed as above promptly answered by return of Post.

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SEWING MACHINES.

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These Machines make a lock-stich alike on both sides and use less than half the thread of silks that the single or double thread loop-stitch Machines do. It will Stitch, Hem, Fell, Quilt, Tuck, Plait, Gather, Cord, Braid, etc., all without previous basting; and are adapted than any other Sewing Machine in use to the finest cloths and great variety of sewing required in a family; they will sew from one to two thicknesses of Marseilles without stopping, and make every stitch perfect, or from the finest gauze to the heaviest, both cloth, without changing the needle or tension, or making any adjustment of machine whatever.

It has the following advantages over all other machines:

Far greater variety of work, beauty and excellence of stitch, speed and quietness of motion, simplicity of construction, and management, elegance of design and finish.

These are peculiar facts, which will go far to determine the choice of an intelligent buyer.

—Please call and examine.

S. H. PEIRSOL,
BEAVER, PA.

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THE BEAVER ARGUS

FEBRUARY 1st, 1865.

LOCAL and MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to me for subscription to the *Beaver Argus*, prior to Jan. 1st, 1865, will please call and pay up at once if they wish to save cost. Joseph M'Clure is authorized to receive and receipt for the same. D. L. IMBRIE.

☞ We publish this week the Receipts and Expenditures of the County for the year 1864. This excludes part of the reading matter prepared for this issue; but we know our readers are more interested in knowing what becomes of the money of the county, and in what why the taxes are applied. We therefore ask the indulgence of our readers this week.

DONATION.—Rev. Knox, pastor of the M. E. Church, Bridgewater, was the recipient of a handsome Donation last week, by his congregation, amounting to near two hundred dollars. Mr. Knox is emphatically a good man, abundant in good words and works.

☞ We call attention to the advertisement of John Mitchell, Esq., in another column. Esq. Mitchell was formerly of this county, and a most excellent citizen he was. Persons who think of buying land in the West should do so now, and would do well to call upon him. His statements are entitled to the fullest confidence.

QUOTAS ASSIGNED.—The quotas for several districts throughout the State, under the call for three hundred thousand men, have been assigned. In the 24th district the assignment is 1,641. The quotas for the sub-districts will be made out at once.

☞ Prof. Bosler has been engaged at the Beaver Female Seminary (Mr. Mercer's) to teach vocal and instrumental music. The number of music scholars has increased so largely that the music teacher, Miss M'Ginnis, was compelled to seek assistance, and hence the employment of Prof. Bosler. The Professor is said to excel as a teacher of both vocal and instrumental music.

☞ We received a communication last week from a Lieutenant of the 23d Colored Infantry, Army of the James, which we must decline publishing. We would be glad to hear from him and publish his communication on any other subject. Our columns are not open for abuse of officers of the Union Army and the Lieutenant should know that it is not only in bad taste but contrary regulations to do so, for which he is liable to dismissal.

Special Income Tax.

In publishing the Special Income Tax List last week, several omissions occurred inadvertedly. We publish them below:

Fowler F W	120,00
Henry Wm	34,70
Hull Thompson	98,15
Leeper S H	40,60

The list of those who pay $25,00 and less will be found on the outside of our paper. We believe it our duty to publish this list, and hope it may be attended with good results. It is the duty of every good citizen to report all who have made fraudulent returns. These returns are made under oath, which we fear only adds to the guilt of some. Have we any in Beaver County who have defrauded the Government and perjured themselves? This tax, we neglected to state last week, was levied on the incomes of 1863.

☞ Beaver County cast one thousand one hundred and thirty-four votes more in 1864 than 1860. This shows the war has not reduced the number of voters, and that we are not losing in population. There are more young men arriving at the age of twenty one each year than are soldiers die or are killed in the army. We will not soon be compelled to stop the war for want of men is evident from this.

A Good Bill.

Mr. Negley, of Butler, has introduced into the House of Representatives a good bill—one which ought to pass and be put into faithful operation. It provides for the disfranchisement of any persons who, having been drafted or subject to the draft, or who have deserted or may desert, may have fled from their homes or concealed themselves to avoid military service. Inspectors and judges of elections are authorized to refuse the votes of such persons, and sheriffs, constables, and other officers of the peace are required to assist the Government authorities in arresting the delinquents. Persons who advise, assist or in any manner aid the persons above referred to, are to be fined in a sum not less than one hundred dollars, and to be imprisoned not less than three months.

Our election laws now disfranchise a man who bets on the election; and why should they not do the same for the sneak who abandons his country in the hour of danger?

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

AT THE TREASURY OF BEAVER COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1864.

STATEMENT.

Dr. Receipts.

To cash received during the year, as per Treasurer's account, exclusive of balance of last year, $69,618 26

Cr. Expenditures.

By warrants issued during the year on the following acc'ts, viz:			
Agricultural Society, per Act of Assembly,			$100 00
Assessments—Assessor's and assistants' pay,	$468 05		
do Military rolls,	60 39	—528 44	
Auditors' pay—John Stewart,	40 00		
do Wm Chaney,	40 00		
do Joseph M'Clure,	44 00		
do M.B.Welsh,(State Auditor) 1863–'64,	95 00	—219 00	
Borrowed money—interest paid,	6698 61		
do do , principal paid,	674 01	—7372 62	
Bridges—building,	3713 19		
do repairing,	1460 00		
do expenses attending viewing, &c;	81 25		
do damages from insufficiency of,	100 00	—5354 44	
Commissioners' pay—Dan'l B. Short, in full,	482 00		
do Wm. Barnes,	584 00		
do John H. Beighley,	570 00		
do Joseph Irons,	66 00	—1702 00	
Clerks to Commissioners—Rich'd. H. Agnew, bal.	393 75		
do do M. B. Welsh,	13 14		
do do Enos Hill.	8 70		
do do Wm. S. Barclay, 1 mo.,	37 50	—458 09	
Counsel to do Henry Hice, Esq.,		50 00	
Commonwealth cases, viz:			
Clerk of Quarter Sessions fees,	121 44		
Constables' fees,	56 91		
District Attorney's fees,1864, and prior,	300 00		
Boarding, washing, and clothing for prisoners,	370 58		
Handcuffs for prisoners,	7 00		
Jailor's fees,	5 25		
Physicians at Jail	27 17		
Witnesses' fees, (Com. cases)	317 78		
Justices' fees, do	31 16		
Sheriff's fees,	32 43	—1269 72	
Coroner's inquests, viz—Coroner's fees,	67 69		
do do Jurors and witnesses,	50 99		
do do expenses of,	33 56	—152 24	
Court expenses, viz:			
Clerk of Quarter Sessions, general fees,	93 47		
Constables' attending,	159 39		
Constables' returns and mileage	98 57		
Crier of Court—John M. Elliott,	96 00		
Grand Jurors, $896,28; Petit Jurors, $1337,79—	1734 07		
Janitor of Court House—George Hinds,	207 00		
Prothonotary's fees,	175 19		
Sheriff, summoning Jurors,	81 00	—2644 69	
Amount forwarded,		$19846 24	

By amount brought forward,			$19846 24
Court House, offices and jail, expenses of, viz:			
Dockets, duplicates, stationery, &c,	592 78		
Firing furnace, etc., at jail,	300 00		
Fuel—Court House, $34,81, Jail, $285,99—	320 80		
Printing,	596 25		
Postage, Revenue stamps, etc,	59 77		
Recorder's fees,	153 00		
Repairs—Court House, $2320,34; Jail, $186,42,—	2506 76		
Incidental expenses—C. H., $128,49; Jail, $34,78—	163 27	—4692 63	
Elections—General, township and special, viz:			
Assessors attending lists, etc.,	223 56		
Constables do notices, etc,	218 01		
Election officers' pay,	1503 74		
Use of houses, light, fuel, etc,	98 58		
Sheriff's advertising fees,	1 50	—2040 39	
Hospital, West Pa., support of inmates,	296 02		
House of Refuge, do do	916 35		
do do conveying inmates to,	11 40	—1223 77	
Justices' fees, swearing county and township officers, and issuing certificates for Fox scalps,		114 70	
Poor House—support of paupers,	6600 00		
do Directors' pay—Henry Geehring,	25 00		
do do do Samuel Wilson,	25 00		
do do do John K. Potter,	25 00	—6675 00	
Railroad bonds and coupons,		60 00	
Reward for apprehension of Eli F. Sheets,		90 00	
Safe bought for Treasurer's office,		407 35	
Taxes—abatements and exonerations,	25 86		
Errors in assessment,	52 38		
And costs refunded on land improperly sold,	23 52		
Overpaid and refunded,	62 36		
Lost tax, collectors' returns of,	838 62		
do military fines, uncollected	8 50	—1006 24	
Volunteers—relief to families of,	5760 97		
do Secretaries of Relief Board pay of	50 00	—5810 97	
Amount of warrants issued to Jan. 1, 1865,			$41867 29
By State tax paid, per State Treasurer's receipts,			12883 08
Excess nett receipts,			54750 37
			14867 89
			$69618 26

Dr. JOHN CAUGHEY, Esq., TREASURER OF BEAVER CO. IN ACC'T WITH COUNTY FOR 1864. Cr

To am't rec'd from former Treasurer,		$2590 84	By cash paid on general warrants,		52,976 50
" " " unseated lands, prior to 1864,	247 63		" " " certificates to road viewers,		68 00
" " " collectors, prior to '64,	4,388 00		" " " for fox scalps,		36 25
" " " tax-payers, before August 1st, '64,	46,218 87		" " for redemption of unseated lands,		89 23
" " " tax-payers before Sept. 1st, 64,	1,519 50		" abatement allowed tax-payers,		2,310 91
" " " collectors for 1864,	7,386 59		" exonerations allowed collectors of militia fines.		194 00
" " Relief funds refunded,	16 50		" commissions allowed collectors of militia fines,		24 94
" " refunded by Coroner.	16 95		" militia fines in hands of collectors,		33 50
" " rec'd for redempt'n for lands, & sold for taxes,	99 73		" cash & com'n pd Commonw'h, bal State & 1 mill tax for '64,		12,883 08
" " rec'd from Danl and Mary Howell, ac't costs,	10 00		" Treasurer's com'n on $61,307 56-100 rec'd @ 2 pr ct,		1,226 15
" " " Commiss'rs for old jury boxes, etc, sold,	19 15		" " " $53,363 98-100 pd out @ 2 pr ct,		1,067 28
" " " borrowed money,	8,251 00		" " " $8,251, borrowed money, @ 1 pr ct,		82 51
" " " Harmony tp Justice of Peace for fine,	5 00		Balance,		1,206 75
" " John Roberts, late Sheriff, fines,	100 00				
" " Joseph Ledlie, fines,	400 00				
" " " soldiers' taxes,	61 41				
" " Danl B. Short, error in wages rec'd,	10 00				
" " Marg't Remler, New Sewickly, tax '58,	1 23				
" " of levy for militia fines,	797 50				
" due the Co. from Commonwealth, Jan 20, '64,	59 70	—63608 26			
		$72,199 10			$72,199 10
Balance in Treasurer's hands,		$1,206 75			

TABLE OF TAXES LAID IN THE SEVERAL TOWNSHIPS FOR COUNTY PURPOSES, AND AMOUNTS

Credited to and Due by Collectors, together with 5 per ct. abatement to Tax-payers for prompt payment for year '64.

DISTRICTS.	Levy of 1864	Gr's am't pd Treas pd Aug 1	Treas pd Sep 1	Charged to Collect's.	Paid by Collectors.	Unseated Lands.	Com'n allo'd Coll'rs	Due by Collectors.	COLLECTORS.
Big Beaver	2341 61	1723 13	73 36	545 12	402 72	1 87	.....	140 53	M. P. Mitchell.
Beaver boro	2026 71	1725 07	84 51	217 61	205 53	3 08	9 00	.....	Jacob Mays.
Borough tp	1309 71	1064 48	38 32	206 50	180 35	17 48	8 67	.....	Jacob Mays.
Bridgewater	1382 80	1037 36	28 57	316 87	107 49	11 25	.....	198 13	William Barnes.
Brighton	2130 13	1770 69	106 65	252 79	235 90	6 86	10 23	.....	John G. Hunter.
Chippewa	1710 90	887 75	57 63	585 52	.....	5 69	.....	579 83	William Lindsey
Darlington bor	487 34	282 95	.....	204 39	127 72	.....	.....	76 67	I. A. W. Edgar.
Darlington tp	3143 34	2345 36	15 02	782 96	613 76	.....	.....	*169 20	James Murray.
Economy	2670 82	1770 18	47 01	852 63	280 43	.....	.....	572 20	Daniel J. Campton.
Fallston	848 65	652 21	39 89	156 55	148 55	1 44	6 56	.....	Thomas Perrott.
Freedom bor	778 37	567 10	29 02	191 25	103 69	1 76	.....	86 40	James Stoops.
Franklin	1401 36	1176 60	5 77	218 99	194 14	.....	.....	24 85	Emanuel Thomas.
Frankfort	287 18	262 19	2 23	22 76	.....	.....	.....	22 76	William H. Frazier.
Glasgow	263 63	92 32	.....	171 30	118 91	.....	.....	52 39	John M'Fall.
Georgetown	525 63	414 51	.....	111 12	105 23	1 40	4 49	.....	Nathaniel Blackmore.
Greene	2694 90	2124 57	196 85	463 49	329 47	5 0	.....	133 32	John M'Donald.
Harmony	4851 11	4843 32	.....	7 59	7 59	.....	.....	.....	Andrew Ketterba.
Hanover	3870 26	3518 40	69 26	282 59	154 95	.....	.....	127 63	Joseph Slehafty.
Hopewell	2458 92	1568 29	119 54	771 09	.....	.....	.....	771 09	George S. Davis.
Hookstown	406 74	313 25	13 91	79 58	76 36	.....	.....	3 22	Nathaniel Blackmore.
Independence	1791 79	1329 71	97 29	864 79	67 60	.....	.....	297 79	David Alexander.
Industry	1229 59	818 09	25 76	385 75	360 75	9 50	15 70	.....	Joseph H. Copper.
Moon	1627 29	1009 21	19 13	598 95	.....	.....	.....	598 95	Charles Johnson.
Marion	794 03	649 55	27 88	116 85	45 99	.....	.....	70 66	John Schaney.
New Brighton	3609 96	1995 78	147 02	1449 16	1372 17	18 42	58 57	.....	William R. Bebout.
New Sewickly	2587 25	1682 24	101 42	803 59	.....	.....	.....	803 59	Coston Barnes.
North Sewickly	1952 35	1183 49	48 86	720 00	556 75	8 11	.....	*146 14	R. S. Barton.
Ohio	2744 59	2349 59	80 00	314 94	145 15	.....	.....	169 79	Enoch Richardson.
Patterson	756 16	503 65	22	27 22	.....	.....	.....	272 29	James Wilson.
Pulaski	1038 61	547 90	11 84	473 87	176 66	13 76	.....	283 45	Hugh McGuire.
Phillipsburg	589 65	513 31	.....	76 34	73 08	.....	3 26	.....	Jacob Shaffer.
Rochester boro	1879 90	1404 59	21 84	453 47	425 72	8 52	19 03	.....	John M'Gown.
Rochester tp	771 27	514 50	1 88	224 89	72 66	17 13	.....	135 10	John M'Gown.
Raccoon	2002 83	1435 51	63 61	503 71	483 46	.....	20 05	.....	Alexander Ewing.
South Beaver	2153 87	1903 38	44 15	206 34	196 27	.....	8 07	.....	Robert B. Rayl.
	$1143 73	$46210 78	$1519 50	$13413 45	$7386 59	$126 97	$167 05	$5782 84	*Paid since Jan. 2, '65.

DR. BEAVER COUNTY STOCK ACCOUNT. CR.

JANUARY 2, 1865.		JANUARY 2, 1865.	
To amount outstanding warrants (general)	130 66	By balance in hands of Treasurer,	1,206 75
" " " bounty warrants	16,994 18	" amount in hands of collectors, prior to 1864	925 21
" " bonds,	67,817 48	" " due by collectors for 1864,	5,732 84
		" " outstanding on unseated lands, prior to 1864,	161 09
		" " outstanding on unseated lands for 1864,	126 97
		" " in hands of John Roberts, late Sheriff, prior to 1864,	251 69
		" " in hands of Joseph Ledlie, for 1864	368 00
		" " in hands of Hugh Sutherland, for stove,	19 00
	$84 942 11	Balance,	76,150 56
Balance,	$76,150 56		$84,942 11

Delinquent Collectors for Years Prior to 1864, and Balances of Taxes Due January 2d, 1865

COLLECTORS.	TOWNSHIPS, &c.	Yr's	CoTax	St Tax
William Thompson	Darlington tp	1852	47 62	15 73
Elihu Evans	Patterson tp	1856	124 42	100 70
Robert Nelson	Pulaski tp	1856	9 52	.....
Benoni Dawson	Glasgow boro	1859	51 91	8 16
G. W. Shroads	Moon tp	1861	151 74	.....
Am't forwarded			385 21	124 59

COLLECTORS.	TOWNSHIPS, &c,	Yr's	CoTax	St Tax
Amount brought forward			385 21	124 59
Joseph Ammon	Industry tp	1863	118 20	.....
Robert Keifer	Hanover tp	1863	72 61	.....
*Charles Johnston	Moon tp	1863	171 36	.....
Samuel Gormly	Raccoon tp	1863	53 24	.....
*Paid off since Jan. 2d, 1865.			800 62	124 59

Given under our Hands and Seal of Office, at Beaver, this 28th day of January, A. D, 1865.

SEAL

Attest: WM. S. BARCLAY, Clerk.

WILLIAM BARNES,
JOHN H. BEIGHLEY,
JOSEPH IRONS,
Commissioners.

Account of all Moneys

Rec'd and Expended by the Directors of the Poor and House of Employment of Beaver Co. for the year ending Dec. 31, 1864.

Dr. Receipts

Balance in Treasury Dec 31st, 1863	222 40	
To cash rec'd of County Treasurer,	6600 00	
" proceeds of farm, &c,	54 52	
" cash rec'd of James Brittain, committee,	48 00	
" " Henry, Hice, Esq.,	77 00	
" in various ways,	77 64	—$7079 56

Cr Expenditures

By cash paid for support of insane paupers,	1662 10	
" " do out-door paupers,	311 25	
" " constables and justices' fees,	54 65	
" " merchandize, groceries and shoes;	1107 66	
" " male and female hire,	396 84	
" " coal,	269 86	
" " physician's salary and extra drugs furnished,	168 50	
" " medical attendance out-paupers,	85 95	
" " bacon and beef,	75 78	
" " drugs and liquors,	11 91	
" " insurance,	37 75	
" " coffins,	60 50	
" " funeral expenses and boarding out-paupers,	45 00	
" " cutting grass and threshing,	39 50	
" " subscription to Argus and Star,	4 00	
" " hardware, tinware, &c,	20 78	
" " seed potatoes and onions,	24 15	
" " postage stamps and box rent,	3 35	
" " blacksmithing,	22 75	
" " nails and plowshares,	7 62	
" " coopering and lumber,	31 75	
Amount carried forward,	4391 59	

Cr Expenditures

By amount brought forward,	4391 59
By cash paid for repairs to, buildings and furniture,	82 25
" " ornamental trees and plants,	12 25
" " wool,	15 75
" " grate, stove fixtures and bucket,	16 05
" " removing paupers,	7 60
" " stove and oil-cloth,	17 75
" " dried fruit and salt,	13 75
" " wheat	72 10
" " taxes,	1 39
" " ferriage,	18 25
" " publishing receipts and expenditure, 1863,	33 25
" " stock hogs and cattle,	47 10
" " Directors' extra services,	67 80
" " balance on horse,	60 00
" " Attorney's and Treasurer's fees,	85 00
" " water wagon,	8 00
" " frieght, toll and traveling expenses,	43 38
" " window blinds, etc., skiff chain,	9 42
" " uncurrent money cancelled,	3 00
" " payment on farm,	200 00
" " Steward's salary,	650 00
" Balance in Treasury Dec 31, 1864	1429 48
	$7079 56

Collateral Inheritance Tax.

Alfred R. Moore, Esq., Register of Wills, &c., in Beaver County, in Account with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

To balance, Nov 30, 1863,			$20 26	Dec 11, 1863, By State Treasurer's receipt,	$10 00
Dec 21, 63, to cash on estate Thos Oliver, dec'd,			35 73	Dec 23, 1863, " " " "	33 95
1864.				1864.	
To cash on estate M Glass,	do	15 00		By State Treasurer's receipt,	154 78
" " " H M Lyon,	do	33 93		" " " "	106 33
" " " Jane Dehaven,	do	114 00		" " " "	250 00
" " " O B Allison,	do	111 93		" " " "	14 00
" " " Geo A Hunter.	do	261 75		" " " "	169 00
" " " H M Lyon,	do	14 75		" " " "	67 00
" " " Jos H Wilson,	do	177 85		" " " "	25 58
" " " David Scott,	do	38 81		" " " "	27 00
" " " V Springer,	do	30 00		" " " "	50 00
" " " M Cool,	do	4 80		" " " "	370 00
" " " S Seawright,	do	5 87		" " " "	131 25
" " " A Anderson	do	16 15		" " " "	95 90
" " " P A Strickland	do	30 00		" " " "	33 80
" " " H Moritz,	do	52 25		" J H Beighley's app'r,	1 50
" " " H Yonng,	do	389 50		" Phillip Bentel " "	3 00
" " " Robt Brown,	do	138 15		" Wm S Barclay " "	1 50
" " " W Harsha,	do	100 94		" Commissioner on $1606,98 @ 5 per ct.	80 34
" " " M Glass,	do	11 25			
" " " Ruth Scott.	do	24 32			
		1627 24		By Balance due Register, $4 69.	
To Balance		4 69			
		$1631 93			$1631 93

BEAVER COUNTY, ss.—I do hereby certify that the above is a true Statement of the Collateral Inheritance Tax as received and disbursed by Alfred R. Moore, Esq., Register, in and for the County of Beaver, during the year ending Nov. 30th, A. D. 1864.

To the Commissioners of Beaver County.

M. B. WELSH, *Auditor.*

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NOTICE IN PATITION.

BEAVER COUNTY, SS:

IN the Orphans' Court in and for the county of Beaver, and State of Pennsylvania: In the matter of the partition of the real estate of Gotlieb Michaels, dec'd. And now, to wit: Nov. 19th, 1864, Rule on the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased, to-wit: Julia, intermarried with Wm. Boswell; Amelia, intermarried with Peter Wagner; Lewis Michaels, now, or late of St. Louis, Mo.; Caroline, intermarried with George Reddy, from whom she was divorced, and afterwards married to a man named Churchman—and all others interested—You and each of you are hereby cited to be and appear before the Hon. Judges of said Court, on the first Monday of March next, to accept or refuse the real estate of said deceased, at the valuation put upon it by an inquest duly awarded by said Court, and returned by the Sheriff to Nov'r. term, 1864, and in the event of non-acceptance to show cause why the same should not be sold.

JOS. LEDLIE,
jan 4, 1865. Sheriff.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of the Comptroller of Currency,
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20, 1864.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Bank of Beaver County" in the Borough of New Brighton, in the County of Beaver, and State of Pennsylvania, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States Bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3. 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said Act required to be complied with before commencing the business of Banking under said Act:

Now therefore, I, Hugh M'Culloch, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Bank of Beaver County," in the Borough of New Brighton, in the county of Beaver, and State of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of Banking under the Act aforsaid.

SEAL

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of December, 1864,

HUGH M'CULLOCH,
Comptroller of Currency.

Notice.

BEAVER COUNTY, SS:

IN the Orphans' Court in and for the county of Beaver and State of Pennsylvania, before the Honorable Judges of said Court. In the matter of the petition for partition of the real estate of Robert Ritchie, deceased. And now, to-wit, Nov. 16th 1864, Rule on the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased to-wit: Jane M'Cormick, (widow of James B. M'Cormick) Francis Ritchie, Alex. T. Ritchie (the petitioner); Wm. T. Ritchie, residing in the State of Iowa, Robt. Ritchie, James C. Ritchie, Elizabeth Brown (widow of John A. Brown), Jonas D. Ritchie, now, or late of, California, and all others interested, to shew cause if any you have, why an inquest to make partition or valuation of the real estate of said deceased, should not be awarded at an Orphans' Court, to be held at Beaver, in and for said County, on the first Monday of March next. JOSEPH LEDLIE, Sheriff.

Beaver, Jan. 11th, 1864.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the county of Beaver, the undersigned will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry, on the premises, on

Monday, Feb. 20th, 1865,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described property, being the estate of Thomas M'Andrew, late of New Brighton, dec'd., now belonging to his minor children, to wit: Two lots of ground numbered on the draft or plan of said town 415 and 417, bounded on the north by lot 413, on the east by Fourth st, on the south by lot No. 419, and on the west by Third st. There is erected on said lot No. 417 a two story brick house, containing four rooms and a hall, with a porch on the south side, and a cellar under the